

**DORSEN'S**  
MAIN, ELM & MIDDLE STS.

## The Big Sale of GROCERIES Will be Continued on Saturday

And housekeepers from near and far should take advantage of the economies it affords. There is a decided saving in this Sale on Flour, Eggs, Butter, Bakery Goods and other everyday food necessities that makes it too important to overlook.

Do your week-end food-buying at Dorsen's, and you will save money.

## Saturday Specials in Meats and Vegetables

Prime Roast Beef  
16c and 18c lb.

Yellow Globe Onions  
50c pk.

Fancy Fowl  
20c lb.

Hamburg Steak  
12 1/2c lb.

Spinach  
15c pk.

Fresh Pork Shoulder  
12 1/2c lb.

Large Grape Fruit  
6 for 25c

Florida Oranges  
30c doz.

DAILY DELIVERIES WITHOUT CHARGE TO STRATFORD AND THE BEACHES.

### Exposition For Good Housing Will Open At Casino April 8

That Greater Bridgeport's Good Housing Exposition is going to be typically Bridgeport in spirit, becomes more and more evident every day. To be typically Bridgeport nowadays a thing must be decidedly wide awake and progressive and that is just the spirit which is going to dominate the big show, judging from plans already made and arrangements perfected.

The most important business interests of Bridgeport, particularly those connected with the building lines, are showing a lively interest in the project and the offices of the management, 249 Meigs building, are being visited daily by large numbers of prospective exhibitors wholly unsolicited. Other business concerns and individuals of prominence are also keeping in close touch with the exposition because of their desire to have Bridgeport's new buildings erected along the latest and most approved lines. As an educational factor in this direction the value of Greater Bridgeport's Good Housing Exposition is immediately evident.

The scope of the exhibits which will be ready for public inspection when the exposition opens at the State street Casino, April 8, continuing to the following Saturday, the 15th, is almost unlimited. They will include representations of every department of building planning, construction, equipment and surroundings, from bricks to bay trees. The most interesting features will be, of course, exhibits of the newer ideas and inventions which go to make the modern home convenient, sanitary, comfortable and even luxurious.

Notable in this direction will be the examples of what has been accomplished by electricity to make the home of today almost the peer of Aladdin's semi-governed palaces of enchanted machinery.

The productions of inventive genius along these lines are innumerable and the exposition will show in great detail the wonders of labor saving and increased efficiency now at the command of the switch or push button. Electric cooking devices, electric heating equipment and electrical lighting systems, will of course be demonstrated extensively.

A complete house erected in miniature, but sufficiently large to allow persons to enter and walk about, is one of the features exhibits now under consideration and it is probable that this exhibit will go a step farther, into the realm of decoration, showing the most approved forms for artistic effects.

The beauties and luxury of modern achievement in plumbing and fixtures will be another section of the exhibits that will offer great opportunity for an interesting display while heating systems with their scientific perfection of the present time will be of decided interest to the prospective builder. Lighting systems, too, will be extensively shown, together with a host of other exhibits of the latest production in equipment. In fact everything that enters into the building field will be dealt with in a manner sure to be of real value to Bridgeport's future building.

Wheeler & Wilson's hand, which will

number 21 pieces for this occasion, has submitted its program and it will undoubtedly prove one of the most popular heard in Bridgeport for a long time. The concerts will be given every afternoon and evening and will be a pleasing feature of the occasion. The decorations, too, will be exceptionally fine while the electrical display will be lavish and novel.—Adv.

**Jefferson Was a "Sloppy" Dresser.**

In dress President Jefferson was governed by comfort rather than by elegance. "Pride costs more than hunger, thirst and cold," he used to say, and as he lived in an epoch that witnessed a mighty revolution in men's clothing as well as in men's government, monarchy's cues and valises giving way to short hair and the useful, ungainly pantaloons, only the watchfulness of his body servant saved him from unbelievable anachronisms of costume. Indeed, in later life, at Monticello, where this democrat ruled absolute king, he often wore the garments of several different periods together, like superimposed geologic strata or the historic remains in the Roman Forum.—Helen Nicolay in Century Magazine.

**No, He Wasn't Sick.**

The ocean liner was rolling like a chip; but, as usual in such instances, one passenger was aggressively, disgustingly healthy. "Sick, eh?" he remarked to a pale green person who was leaning on the rail. The pale green person regarded the healthy one with all the scorn he could muster. "Sick, nothing," he asserted weakly. "I'm just hanging over the front of the boat to see how the captain cranks it!"—Argonaut.

**The Sculptor's Art.**

Bowls—Yes, I know I'm ugly, but there is one great consolation. Biggs—What is that? Bowls—if ever I should become great and the people should resolve to erect a statue to my memory they won't be able to make me out any uglier than I am.—London Telegraph.

**Old Fashioned.**

"No, she hasn't gone out much." "How do you know?" "Why, when she joined our sewing club she actually expected to do some sewing!"—Houston Post.

**Good Reason.**

"Why do you write articles on how cheaply people can live if they try?" "In the hope of getting enough money to avoid having to live that way!"—Brooklyn Eagle.

**Unflattering.**

He (earnestly) "The fact is as plain as the nose on your face. She (pouting) "Everybody but you says I've got a pretty nose!"—Baltimore American.

## At the Fountain

Chop Suey Sundae  
Saturday only ..... 5c

## Notable Sale of Silk Hosiery

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hosiery, regular \$1.50 value—Saturday, at ..... 79c

One of those exceptional store events that come just at the right time. Silk Hosiery of the strictly good kind are hard to obtain—and harder still to get at a special price. That is why we congratulate ourselves on being able to offer customers this unusual offering for Saturday.

Pure Ingrain Silk Thread Stockings, double sole, heel and toe, with heavy garter top. Fine full fashioned Hosiery, in black, white, navy, grey and taupe.

Hosiery of this grade sells always at \$1.50 pair—make your selection from this new line at only 79c pair.

Women's Black Silk Lisle Stockings, medium weight, double sole, heel and toe, full fashioned—special at ..... 19c pair  
Men's fine quality seamless Fibre Silk Hose, double sole, heel and toe, in all colors—special at ..... 25c pair  
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, double sole, heel and toe, all shades—special at ..... 12 1/2c pair  
Hosiery Section, Main Floor.

## Pretty New Dresses For Children

Children's Dresses of Gingham and Chambray, in middy and blouse effects; sizes 6 to 14—at ..... \$1.00  
Gingham Dresses for children 6 to 14, in Russian blouse models, trimmed with pique collars and cuffs and patch pockets—at ..... \$1.25  
Handsome Gingham Dresses for children 10 to 14, trimmed with pique collars and cuffs and black velvet belts—at ..... \$1.98, \$2.50, \$2.98  
Bloomer Dresses for children of 6 to 10 years, made of fine gingham trimmed with pique collars and cuffs; belted models at ..... \$1.98  
Garment Section, Second Floor.

## Shirt Values That Surprise Men Exceptional in Fabrics, In New Patterns, 68c And Especially in Low Prices



The Sale of 68c Shirts will continue on Saturday—and that will be about the last chance that men will have to profit by its unusual opportunities.

The assortments are not depleted—all sizes are represented—and the most desirable patterns in stripes and solid colors are here in beautiful array.

Men of every walk in life can use these Shirts now—and for Spring and Summer wear it will be impossible to find shirts that will offer you the attractive features which these possess.

Buy on Saturday—and get a half dozen to prevent regrets.

Men's Store, Main Floor.

## Smart Millinery For Spring



The new and stunning Spring Hats which are now coming every day into our Millinery section are a delight to all women. They're coming in, and going out, too—for most women have grown tired of their Winter headwear, and are donning the fresher, brighter things which the new season already provides.

Early buyers will do well to see these:

## Beautiful Satin Hats at \$2.98

Mid-season Hats these, and very popular they have been. The new spring hats are made of satin, and satin and straw combinations, trimmed with flowers, fruits, ornaments, etc. All the new season shades. The price for Saturday is special—and only about half what these Hats usually sell for.

Milan Hemp Untrimmed Hats, in black, navy, old rose, grey, brown and purple—eight styles to select from—at ..... \$1.48

Hand-blocked Untrimmed Hats, copies of new Paris creations, hand-blocked in this country from imported materials at a cost of about one-half the originals. Your choice at ..... \$4.98 and \$5.98  
Millinery Section, Second Floor.

## Savings on Wash Goods and Domestics

12 1/2c Percales, light and dark. 9c  
36 inches wide—per yd. ....  
50c Bleached Mercerized Damask, 72-inch, per yd. .... 37c  
25c Turkish Towels, extra large size, each ..... 19c  
12 1/2c Apron and Dress Ginghams, all colors—per yd. .... 8 1/2c  
60c Bleached Muslin Sheets, 72x90 inches—each ..... 49c  
75c New Shepherd Checks, 42 inches wide—per yd. .... 59c  
10c Unbleached Muslin, 36 inches wide—per yd. .... 8c  
10c Bleached and Bordered Scarves, 36 inches wide—per yd. .... 6 1/2c  
Main Floor, Rear.

## PEACE COUNCIL HEADS TO FACE CHARGES IN N. Y.

Washington, Feb. 25.—United States Commissioner E. J. Connelley today announced the indictment of H. Robert Fowler, Herman Schulz, and Henry B. Martin, returned in a federal grand jury's investigation of the activities of Labor's national peace council, and held that the three men must appear for arraignment in New York, March 7.

## MacGrail Will Receive New Members Tonight in Y.M.C.A. Efficiency Class

Joseph F. MacGrail of New York will meet his class of 75 men in the earlier session of the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock tonight for its second regular session. Arrangements have been made with Mr. MacGrail to be present at a quiet dinner of seven to eight to meet any men who missed either the session a week ago, or his earlier opening lecture.

It is understood that any men who have not heard Mr. MacGrail at an earlier session will be welcome to come in for an hour before the regular class period tonight to get a resume of the work already covered and to meet Mr. MacGrail personally.

Mr. MacGrail at the present time has large classes in Troy, N. Y., New York city, Stamford, and Hartford. He is the head instructor in the Emerson Institute and has a reputation of having taught the principles of efficiency to more men than any other living person.

## Fire Threatens Sleeping Families

Fire that broke out in the cellar of the two-family frame dwelling at 221 Howard avenue shortly after 1 o'clock this morning at first threatened to destroy the building. The flames had broken through the kitchen floor from the cellar by the time the firemen had arrived.

Two lines of hose were sufficient to quench the flames after half an hour of hard work on the part of the firemen. According to Chief Daniel E. Johnson the damage will total about \$250. The house is occupied by two Greek families. The origin of the fire is as yet unknown. It started in a wooden bin in the cellar and may have been caused by lighted candle left in the cellar earlier in the evening.

## TAILOR STEALS TOOLS

A report was received at police headquarters this morning from John Bart, keeper of a tailor shop at 407 Madison avenue, saying that John Ward, employed there as a tailor, left a few days ago and that after his departure, investigation disclosed the loss of a suit of woman's clothes, a pair of shoes and several other articles used in tailoring. Several of the latter have been found in local pawnshops.

Canada has officially decided to honor the martyred Edith Cavell, British war nurse, by naming a large western mountain peak for her.

Fire swept through the plant of the Union Storage Co., at Pittsburgh, causing \$500,000 damage.

Fire destroyed the J. L. Joyce furniture warehouse at Binghamton, N. Y., at a loss of \$50,000.

## NOTICE

In compliance with the votes taken at the meeting of the Board of Apportionment and Taxation of the City of Bridgeport, held February 23, 1916, at the Common Council Chamber, City Hall, the following proposed appropriations and tax rates to be made and levied by the City of Bridgeport, for the ensuing fiscal year, from April 1, 1916 to April 1, 1917, were adopted, to wit:

**FIRST DISTRICT**

Advertising, Printing, and Stationery ..... 3,000.00  
Apportionment, Board of ..... 200.00  
Appraisal, Board of ..... 500.00  
Assessors, Board of ..... 14,000.00  
Board of Contract and Supply ..... 50.00  
Bonds, Almshouse ..... 2,500.00  
Bonds, Reimbursement ..... 10,000.00  
Bonds, Improvement No. 1 ..... 2,000.00  
Bonds, Re-issuance ..... 10,000.00  
Bonds, Voting Machine ..... 3,000.00  
Bonds, New High School ..... 1,000.00  
Bonds, Schools, "Series A" ..... 3,000.00  
Bonds, New High School Equipment ..... 10,000.00  
Bridges, Care of and repairs ..... 5,000.00  
Bridges, Superintendence ..... 400.00  
Building Commissioners, Board of ..... 9,530.00  
Charities, Department of, Ambulance & Emergency ..... 17,275.00  
Poor, Care of, Hillside Home, salaries ..... 12,340.00  
Poor, Care of, Hillside Home, salaries ..... 30,075.00  
Poor, Care of, Hillside Home, salaries ..... 2,660.00  
Charities, Department of, Gen. Office Acct. Poor, Care of, Outside Poor ..... 8,141.00  
Poor, Care of, Hospital and Asylums ..... 36,214.00  
Poor, Care of, City ..... 65,300.00  
New Almshouse, Deficiency in excavation work on ..... 8,092.00  
Charter Commission ..... 15,365.45  
City Attorney, Legal expenses ..... 1,800.00  
City Hall, Fuel, light, salaries, etc. ..... 750.00  
City Hall, Special Alterations and remodeling ..... 9,034.00  
City Plan Commission ..... 7,500.00  
Claims Committee, Land Damages ..... 1,009.00  
Claims Committee, Personal Damages ..... 500.00  
Collector's Office ..... 2,000.00  
County Tax ..... 1,000.00  
Dog Tax to State ..... 12,195.20  
Dog Warden ..... 18,000.00  
Election Expenses, Enrollment for Primaries ..... 500.00  
Election Expenses, Registrars of Voters ..... 725.00  
Election Expenses, Selectmen ..... 7,122.00  
Election Expenses, Miscellaneous ..... 415.90  
Election Expenses, Special, Printing and mailing circulars ..... 2,000.00  
Election Expenses, Voting Machines ..... 5,000.00  
Engineering City ..... 1,000.00  
Forest Fire Warden ..... 1,500.00  
Health Department, Regular Salaries ..... 2,000.00  
Health Department, Isolation Hospital ..... 25.00  
Health Department, Slaughterhouse ..... 16,922.00  
Bonds, Improvement No. 2 ..... 24,835.00  
Bonds, Fire House ..... 5,807.00  
Bonds, Yellow Mill Bridge ..... 2,065.00  
Bonds, Sewers "Series A" ..... 10,000.00

Health Department, Garbage Disposal ..... 61,692.00  
Health Department, Garbage Disposal, deficiency ..... 2,500.00  
Health Department, Repairs to Slaughterhouse ..... 500.00  
Hunters' Licenses ..... 1,500.00  
Interest on funded debt ..... 63,848.00  
Interest on notes ..... 7,425.00  
Library Fund, regular ..... 30,250.00  
Library Fund, special, Books for branches ..... 20,000.00  
Liquor and Dog Agent and Truant Officers ..... 2,000.00  
Memorial Day ..... 3,558.75  
Miscellaneous ..... 1,400.00  
National Guard Tax ..... 2,000.00  
Personal Tax Commissioning ..... 25,000.00  
Police & Charities ..... 1,750.00  
Police Department, Salaries ..... 4,535.00  
Police Department, Probate Court ..... 37,108.75  
Public Works Department, of Cuts, repairing of Tree removal ..... 1,000.00  
Common Road repairs ..... 5,000.00  
Street Cleaning ..... 10,000.00  
Macadam Repairs ..... 20,000.00  
New crosswalks ..... 500.00  
General grading ..... 1,000.00  
New Macadam ..... \$1,240.00  
Relief, Board of, Deficiency ..... 1,695.00  
Salaries ..... 250.00  
School Building Notes ..... 5,950.00  
Sewer Weights & Measures ..... 105,307.00  
Services and fees ..... 14,000.00  
Sinking Fund ..... 2,836.00  
State Tax, 1915, 1916 ..... 1,600.00  
State Tax, 1915, 1916 ..... 6,000.00  
State Tax, 1915, 1916 ..... 180,737.29  
Interest ..... 7,530.72  
State Tax, 1915, 1916 ..... 204,750.00  
Treasurer's Office ..... 12,205.25  
Vice Commission ..... 5,000.00  
Charter & Ordinances, Revision and Index, Re-appropriation ..... 1,800.00  
Charter & Ordinances, Printing, Re-appropriation ..... 2,000.00  
The following is a list of the estimated receipts in the First District:

Building Permits ..... \$10,000.00  
Dog Licenses ..... 5,000.00  
Slaughterhouse fees ..... 1,500.00  
Care of poor ..... 7,000.00  
Hunters' Licenses ..... 1,500.00  
Interest on deposits ..... 9,000.00  
Liquor licenses ..... 5,000.00  
Schools ..... 78,750.00  
Town Clerk's office ..... 12,000.00  
Personal Taxes ..... 25,000.00

Total receipts ..... \$ 164,850.00  
Grand list of First District ..... 132,095,046.00  
Less the estimated receipts ..... 1,933,850.41  
Amount to be raised by taxation ..... 164,850.00  
A tax of twelve and eight tenths mills on each dollar of said grand list will realize ..... 1,760,000.41  
Surplus ..... 11,418.17

## SECOND DISTRICT

Advertising, Printing, and Stationery ..... 6,000.00  
Apportionment, Board of ..... 300.00  
Appraisal, Board of Board of Contract and Supply ..... 3,500.00  
Assessors, Board of ..... 2,500.00  
Bonds, Redemption ..... 6,000.00  
Bonds, Construction ..... 2,000.00  
Bonds, Fire Department, Improvement No. 2 ..... 2,000.00  
Bonds, No. 2 ..... 10,000.00  
Bonds, Fire House ..... 1,000.00  
Bonds, Yellow Mill Bridge ..... 5,000.00  
Bonds, Sewers "Series A" ..... 10,000.00

Bonds, Stratford Avenue Bridge ..... 8,000.00  
Bonds, Pavement "Series B" ..... 40,000.00  
Bonds, Grand Street ..... 10,000.00  
Bonds, E. Washington Avenue Bridge ..... 5,000.00  
Bridges, Care of and repairs ..... 17,457.70  
Bridges, Special Repairs to Yellow Mill Bridge ..... 8,000.00  
Bridges, Superintendence of City Attorney, Legal expenses ..... 800.00  
City Court ..... 2,250.00  
Claims Committee, Claims Committee, Land Damages ..... 15,880.00  
Claims Committee, Personal Damages ..... 7,000.00  
Claims Committee, Claims Committee, Personal Damages ..... 6,000.00  
Claims Committee, Claims Committee, Personal Damages ..... 500.00  
Engineering, City Fire Department, Regular ..... 18,700.00  
Fire Department, Harbor Master ..... 248,324.79  
Interest on funded debt ..... 52,726.94  
Interest on notes ..... 1,531.00  
Interest on notes ..... 99,535.00  
Interest on notes ..... 6,195.00  
Miscellaneous ..... \$2,813.31  
Miscellaneous ..... 2,500.00  
Park Department, Regular ..... 60,074.00  
Park Department, Pavement Repairs ..... 4,800.00  
Paving Note No. 40 at \$1,000.00 ..... 10,000.00  
Paving Note No. 40 at \$1,000.00 ..... 17,000.00  
Police & Charities ..... 40,000.00  
Building ..... 4,535.00  
Police Department, Public Works, Department of Culverts, repairing of Common road repairs ..... 250.00  
Street Cleaning ..... 99,683.13  
Macadam repairs ..... 50,000.00  
Sewer repairs and gutter repairs ..... 5,000.00  
Sewer repairs ..... 8,000.00  
Crosswalk repairs ..... 1,500.00  
Salary of Director ..... 5,400.00  
Street sprinkling ..... 30,000.00  
Motor truck and Equipment ..... 5,000.00  
Watering trough ..... 1,500.00  
Sewer well cleaning ..... 8,808.00  
River St. pumping station, maintenance, new ..... 2,800.00  
General Sidewalk grading ..... 9,000.00  
State highway construction ..... 2,000.00  
Sidewalks, curb and gutter, new ..... 8,500.00  
New Crosswalks ..... 4,500.00  
General grading ..... 9,000.00  
New Watering ..... 1,000.00  
Trees, removal, setting back curbs ..... 6,800.00  
Street grading, special ..... 32,850.00  
Sewer wells, new ..... 6,000.00  
Salaries ..... 16,900.00  
Sewer Notes ..... 2,000.00  
Sinking Fund ..... 11,000.00  
The following is a list of the estimated receipts in the Second District:

Interest on deposits ..... \$ 9,000.00  
Liquor Licenses ..... 160,000.00  
Drawbridges ..... 3,000.00  
Licenses ..... 18,000.00  
Licenses ..... 8,000.00  
Sidewalk Assessments ..... 6,800.00  
Sewer and water permits ..... 1,000.00  
Tax from state ..... 25,000.00  
Street Sprinkling ..... 38,000.00  
Charter & Ordinances, Printing, Re-appropriation ..... 2,000.00  
Charter & Ordinances, Printing, Re-appropriation ..... 1,000.00  
Total receipts ..... \$ 271,600.00  
Grand list of second district ..... 1,933,850.41

district ..... 128,815,506.00  
Total amount of appropriations ..... 1,407,012.00  
Less the amount of estimated receipts ..... 271,600.00  
Amount to be raised by taxation ..... 1,135,412.00  
A tax of eight and three tenths mills on each dollar of said grand list will realize ..... 1,145,018.63  
Surplus ..... 9,606.63  
Respectfully submitted, this 23rd day of February, 1916,  
BOARD OF APPOINTMENT AND TAXATION  
By J. Alex. H. Robinson, Clerk.

## WISE AND OTHERWISE

It doesn't take a great deal to please the children's parents, but a lot of children neglect that little.

When a man begins traveling for his health the chances are he won't catch up with it.

No, Pauline, the joint debate isn't necessarily held in a joint, although some of them are.

Nearly every poor man figures occasionally how generous he would be if he had more money.

The average man knows several places where he could save money, but that is no sign he will.

Aluminum production in the United States totaled 30,000,000 pounds last year, against 15,000,000 pounds in 1906 and only 83 pounds in 1883.

## DIED.

STEVENS—In Stamford, Feb. 21. Stiles C. Stevens, in the 76th year of his age.

POITS—In Stamford, Feb. 21. William A. Poits, aged 85.

PEATT—In Stamford, Feb. 21. Mary F., wife of John Peatt, aged 44 years.

WELSH—In Stamford, Feb. 21. Michael Welsh.

VALLETTE—In Stamford, Feb. 16. Percy C. Vallette.

WEED—In Stamford, Feb. 17. Mary Weed, aged 80 years.

O'HARA—In Stamford, Feb. 18. Bridget O'Hara.

PURCELL—In Shelton, Feb. 20. Patrick Purcell, aged 77.

COLEY—In Wilton, Feb. 21. Ebenezer Coley, aged 77.

LAMBERT—In Norwalk Hospital, Feb. 21. Mrs. Mary Lambert of Dan.

MANVEL—In New York, Feb. 20. Fred C. Manvel, aged 64.

FEUCHT—In Winsted, Feb. 20. Julia Ann, wife of Jacob H. Feucht, aged 80.

PARSON—In Winsted, Feb. 20. Ann R., widow of Lyman J. Parson, aged 85.

CUNNINGHAM—In Danbury Hospital, Feb. 19. Miss Susan E. Cunningham, of Ridgefield, aged 61.

MALONE—In Norwalk, Feb. 18. James Malone, aged 30.

BUTLER—In Shelton, Feb. 18. Thomas Butler, aged 78.

BOSTWICK—In Bridgeport, Feb. 14. Adeline Josephine, wife of Charles W. Bostwick, aged 64.

MARSH—In New York, Feb. 18. Moses S. Marsh, aged 52.

WHALEY—In Norwalk, Feb. 19. Mrs. J. Whaley, aged 82.

LINK WHEELER—In Norwalk, Feb. 18. Mrs. John Wheeler, aged 88.

BALDWIN—In Winsted, Feb. 21. John D. Baldwin, aged 87.

OWEN—In Winsted, Feb. 21. George S. Owen, aged 82.

IVES—In Kent, Feb. 21. Louis H. Ives, aged 75.

LEIGH—At Reynolds's Bridge, Feb. 16. Mrs. John Leigh, aged 78.

BURR—In Danbury, Feb. 18. John M. Burr of Norwalk, aged 84.

BRACKETT—In New York, Feb. 18. Ernest Brackett, aged 82.